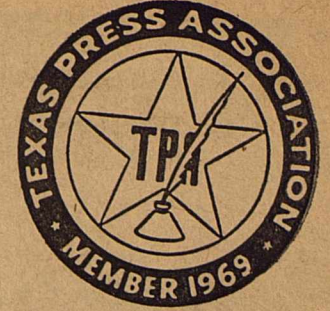


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## CINDERS

By John T. King

One of the news releases received over the holidays came from the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness and had particular interest—a warning about flying champagne corks.

The release states that 1 1/4 billion bottles of champagne are sold each year, and that a number of people are reported to have received serious eye injuries and a number of eye removals have been necessitated by injuries caused by flying champagne corks.

"A flying champagne cork can pop with the impact of a mine blast," says Dr. John W. Ferree, director, "and the cork can reach the eye from 2 feet away in less than .05 of a second—faster than the blink reflex."

Arbor Day is January 17, and to promote observance the Texas Forest Service, a part of the Texas A&M University System, is making program kits available to schools free on request.

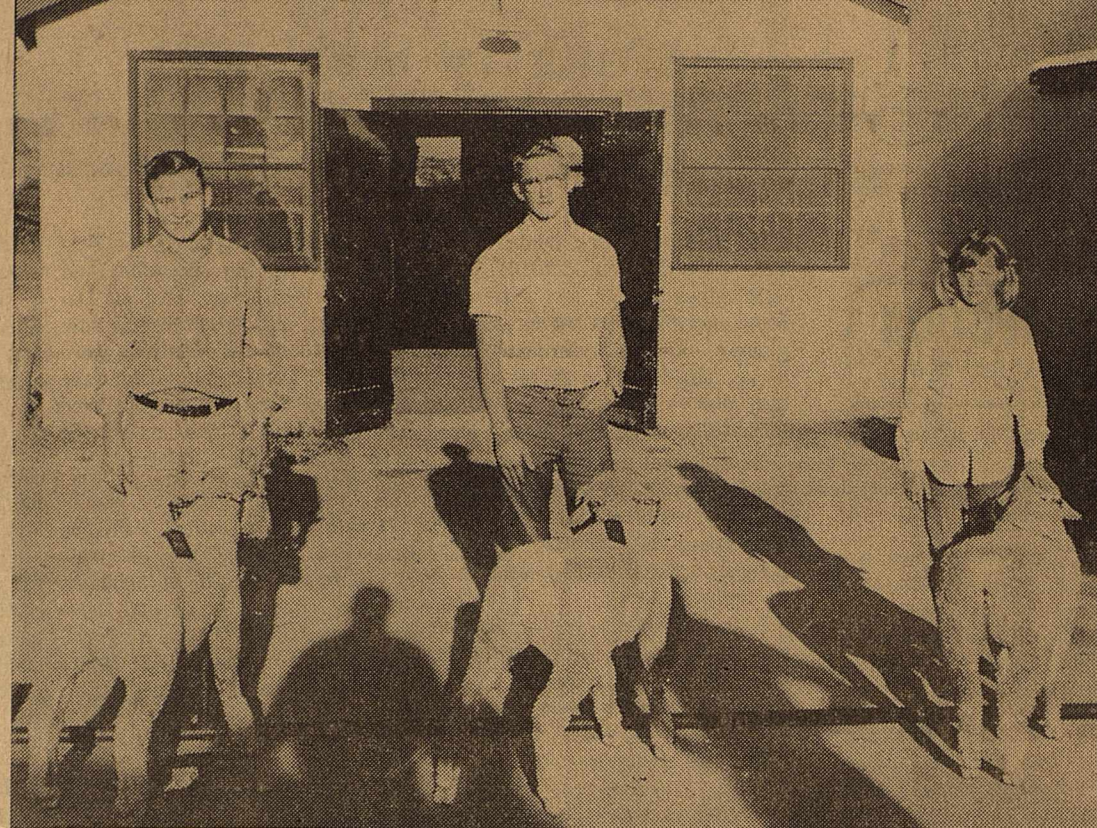
Each kit contains two high quality pecan nuts, instructions for planting, and a suggested Arbor Day program. Requests should be addressed to Texas Forest Service, College Station, Texas 77843.

"The weather here is so wonderful," the tourist said, "how do you tell summer from winter?" "In winter," replied the southern resort manager, "we get Cadillacs, Continentals, and stuffed shirts. In summer, we get Fords, Chevrolets, and stuffed shorts."

## Sonora's Weather

Compiled by Pat Brown

	Rain	Hi	Lo
Wednesday, Jan. 1	.11	39	20
Thursday, Jan. 2	.02	58	32
Friday, Jan. 3	.20	57	30
Saturday, Jan. 4	.00	45	26
Sunday, Jan. 5	.00	53	17
Monday, Jan. 6	.00	73	27
Tuesday, Jan. 7	.00	78	26
Rainfall for the month, .33			
Rain for the year, .33			



EXHIBITOR MARK JACOBY PLACED FIRST in the on foot fine wool lamb judging held Monday at the 4-H center. His brother, Scott, placed second and Claire Langford placed third. Philip Jacoby was breeder of the first and second place lambs, and Tom Davis was

breeder of the third place lamb. Lambs were slaughtered Tuesday and the carcasses will be exhibited at the 4-H show scheduled Saturday. Judges for the event were Dr. Frank A. Orts, James A. Gray and Bill Sims.

## Renfro, Green Make All-State Team

Climaxing successful high school football playing, two Sonora Broncos were named to the All-State Class A football team.

For the third straight year, Ed Lee Renfro, running back, was named to the team. Renfro was a unanimous choice of the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Bill Green, senior center, joins Renfro on the first offensive team. Green has turned in yoeman service all year in the center position for the Broncos. Poth, unbeaten until the championship game against Sonora, placed five players on the first two offensive and defensive units.



ALL AMERICAN RED HEADS CAPTAIN Jolene Ammons, 5'8" world-famous dribble wizard, will be among the group to take on "game" members of the Bronco Booster Club Tuesday night at 7:30 at the gym. Jimmy Harris explained that the extended season of football cut into the booster club's funds, and he hopes the game will add to the club's coffers. Advance ticket sales are being pushed, since the club receives a greater percentage of money on advance sales.

## 5 Broncos Named To All-West Texas Super Football Team For 1968 Play

Five of Sonora's 1968 Bronco football team members were named to the All-West Texas Super Team.

Ed Lee Renfro, named to First Team Offense, is a two-time all stater, and has accounted for over 5,300 yards rushing and 540 points in his career. Renfro played on state championship teams both his senior and sophomore seasons.

Erasmus Lumberras, junior line-backer, was named to the First Team Defense. Lumberras was the only junior to be named to a first team berth on either defense or offense.

Named to the second-unit offensive line was center Bill Green and tackle Monte Dillard. Jim Elliott was named to the second-unit defensive team.

The honor of coaching this unit for the season went to Bronco coach Jerry Hopkins, Reagan County's Wilburn George and Kermit's Charlie Jetton because of their outstanding coaching jobs during the 1968 campaign.

The All-West Texas Super Team was based on All-West Texas selections, all-loop choices, conferences with coaches, statistics and

game coverage by San Angelo Standard Times reporters.

## Sonoran's Father Albert C. Loeffler Dies Dec. 25, 1968

Mr. Albert C. Loeffler, 92, father of S. M. Loeffler, died December 25, 1968, in the Mason Hospital after a long illness.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m., December 26 at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Arthur Kendall, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Gooch Cemetery under the direction of Mason Funeral Home. Grandsons were pallbearers.

He was born August 13, 1876 at Fredericksburg. He moved to Mason County six years later, and was a foreman at a ranch in Mason County for about 25 years. Mr. Loeffler married Emma Schmidt December 13, 1899, in Mason. Mrs. Loeffler died February 4, 1962.

Other survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Quincy Kothmann of Fredericksburg and Mrs. Walter Durst of Art; two other sons, Milton Loeffler and Rudolph Loeffler, both of Mason; two brothers, Robert H. Loeffler and A. W. Loeffler, both of Junction; 14 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

## 4-Hers To Exhibit 201 Animals At 22nd Annual Livestock Show

Club advisor, county agent D. C. Langford said the twenty-second annual Sutton County 4H Livestock Show and Sale is scheduled Saturday, January 11, beginning at 9 a.m. with the fat lamb show. The breeding sheep show is scheduled for 11:30 a.m., and at 12 noon lamb carcasses will be displayed and results given.

Breeding heifer show begins at 1 p.m.; and the Angora goat show at 1:30 p.m. A free barbeque will be served at 6 p.m., with the auction sale set for 6:30 p.m. Presentation of awards begins at 7 p.m.

Carlton Goddard of Leakey will judge Angora goats; Allen Turner of Menard is judge of breeding cattle and fat lambs; Pete Jacoby of Ozona will judge showmanship, and James A. Gray of San Angelo and Dr. Frank Orts of College Station will judge the lamb carcass classes.

J. D. Cook is chairman of the bookkeeping committee; George Wallace, chairman of livestock show committee; Mrs. Charles Howard is chairman of publicity; Herbert Fields is chairman of the auction committee; Bill Whitehead will serve as chairman of the weighing committee, and announcers are Jimmy H. Harris and Pat Cooper.

Preston Love, Hoot Nix, Turney Friess, and Jim Menzies are show ring assistants.

Twenty-nine 4H exhibitors have 106 fat lambs entered in the show. Seventeen 4Hers will show 80 Angora goats. Breeding sheep exhibitors are Debbie Howard, John David Cook, and Susan Schwiening with a total of twelve animals to be exhibited.

Elba Adams, Jr., Will Wallace, and Ruthie Wallace are the 1969 beef heifer exhibitors with three animals entered.

At the auction buyers may bid as much as they like on lambs in the auction sale but 4H members will receive a ceiling price of \$75 per head. All that is bid above this amount goes to the 4H fund for other 4H activities. Merchants and businessmen a-

warding trophies include First National Bank, Elliott Butane, Neville's Department Store, Foodway Stores, Sonora Feed Company, Sonora Wool and Mohair Company, Twin Oaks Motel, Home Hardware & Furniture, Federal Land Bank Association, Stockmen's Feed, and Nathan's Jewelers of San Angelo.

Also giving trophies will be Corky Schwiening, George Wallace Hereford Ranch, and Edgar Glasscock. LAMB CARCASS SHOW

The carcass show was held Monday at the Sutton County 4H center. Lambs were slaughtered and

the carcasses will be exhibited at the Saturday show.

On foot fine wool lamb placings were as follows:

1. Mark Jacoby - breeder, Philip Jacoby; 2. Scott Jacoby - breeder, Philip Jacoby; 3. Claire Langford - breeder, Tom Davis; 4. John D. Cook - breeder, W. F. Berger; 5. Roger Langford - breeder, Tom Davis, and,

6. Michele Rousselot - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot; 7. Patti Cockrell - breeder, W. F. Berger; 8. Bob Whitehead - breeder, Ray Glasscock; 9. Ruthie Wallace -

breeder, Ray Glasscock; and 10. Renee Rousselot - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot.

On foot crossbred lamb placings included the following:

1. Tony Renfro - breeder, Philip Jacoby; 2. Scott Jacoby - breeder, Philip Jacoby; 3. Debbie Howard - breeder, Philip Jacoby; 4. Patti Cockrell - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot; 5. John D. Cook - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot; and,

6. Carey Draper - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot; 7. Tryon Fields - breeder, Herbert Fields; 8. Bob Whitehead - breeder, Tony Renfro; 9. Will Wallace - breeder, Philip Jacoby; and 10. Michele Rousselot - breeder, Mayer & Rousselot.

The lamb carcass show is being held for the first time this year and purpose of the 4H lamb carcass show is to assist in training 4H members and ranchers to produce a more acceptable lamb for market. Langford says the lambs should have a high dressing percentage, have a high percentage of leg and loin, have highly palatable meat, reach correct finish at a desirable weight and age and utilize a minimum amount of food.

## Presbytery Commission To Install The Rev. Mr. Homer C. Akers, Pastor

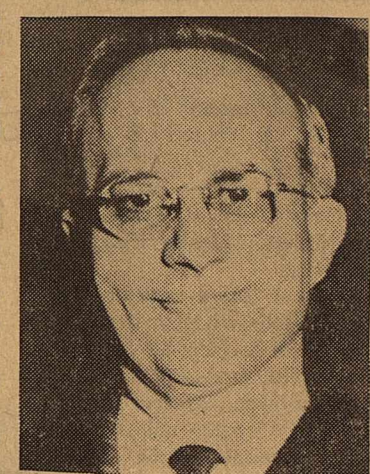
A service of installation for the Rev. Mr. Homer C. Akers new pastor for the the Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church in the United States will be held Sunday, January 12.

The Rev. Mr. Akers will be installed by a commission of the Presbytery of the Southwest. The Rev. Frank L. Seaman, pastor of Westminster Church of Odessa, will preside and propound the constitutional questions.

Others taking part in the ceremony include the Rev. Harold G. Odum of San Angelo, who will preach the sermon; Dr. R. Gage Lloyd of Big Spring; the Rev. Tony D. McMillan of Eldorado; Johnny Johansen of Big Spring, James Page of Eldorado, and Roy Coker.

The Rev. Mr. Akers said a coffee is planned for 10:30 a.m. with Holy Communion to follow at the 11 a.m. service. Supper will be served at 6 p.m. with the installation service scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. D. L. Locklin will sing "Come Ye Blessed" by John Prin-



REV. HOMER C. AKERS

## Sonoran's Brother Dies In Arizona

Mr. Joe Street, brother of Mrs. Bill Cartwright, died in a Globe, Arizona, hospital December 30, 1968, after a long illness.

Mr. Street was born September 2, 1895, in Wingate. Services were held in Phoenix, Arizona, January 3, 1969.

Other survivors include his daughter, Mrs. Anita McMahan of Prescott, Arizona; three grandchildren; a half-sister, Mrs. C. A. Floyd of Roscoe, and a half-brother, Albert Anderson of Arizona.

## Les Elgart Booked for Fling Ding, Annual Gala Dance Set for February 22

Les Elgart will follow in the footsteps of other great orchestra leaders when he appears for the Fling Ding's annual dance set for Saturday, February 22. Time is 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Herbert Fields is president of the Fling Ding, and vice-president is Bill Stewart. Mrs. Fields is secretary-treasurer.

Directors include Mrs. Lea Roy Aldwell, J. W. Elliott, Jack Kerbow, Mrs. W. B. McMillan, Lee

Patrick, Rex Cusenbary, Joseph VanderStucken, James Hunt, Mrs. C. F. Browne, Mrs. Lee Fawcett, Lea Allison, Edwin Sawyer, and Tommy Thorp.

Termed as "uniquely Sonora" entertainment, the dance is held each year in the 28,000 square-foot Sonora Wool and Mohair Company warehouse. Theme for this year's dance will center around patriotism and Washington's Birthday—February 22.



HEAD COACH JERRY HOPKINS happily reaches for congratulatory handshakes extended to him after a highly successful season, and at the conclusion of the Poth-Sonora game. For the second time in the school's history he has coached the Broncos to state finals in Class A, winning in 1966 and 1968. Coach Dennis Hays in the background, exhibits a pleased expression also.

## Tolbert's Texas Examines Origin Of Juno's Name

(The following appeared in Frank X. Tolbert's column in the January 4, 1969 Dallas Morning News. If any of our readers has information on the origin of Juno's name, the "Devil" would appreciate knowing other stories on the subject.)

JUNO, TEXAS, is on the Devil's River in Val Verde County, 68 miles north of Del Rio and fairly high to Roy Bean's old judicial seat at Langtry. Some time ago in Juno I was told the village was first called You Know, Texas. This was because a local bootlegger when asked if he sold booze would keep repeating the phrase, "you know, you know," until he had time to size up the apparent customer, who just might be a liquor agent.

Well, Llewellyn Notely of Teague, Freestone County, a former inhabitant of Juno says he knows definitely that the village had its present name long before the prohibition era of the 1920's.

Mr. Notely, who is chairman of the Freestone County historical survey committee, said that Juno "was Juno and not You Know about 1908 when I was 21 years old and signed my first contract to teach school in the Silver Exchange Saloon in Juno."

"You mean you taught school in the Silver Exchange Saloon?" I asked.

"No, the leading trustee of the Juno school was the saloon keeper, and that's why I signed the contract in the saloon," said Mr. Notely.



POTH QUARTERBACK CANTU made 7 yards on this 4th quarter play in the December 20 Class A State Championship game. Bronco

quarterback David Wuest (12) brought down the Poth Pirate. Sonora won the contest by a score of 9-0 for a second State championship.



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### GRASSROOTS OPINION

**ALBANY, KY., NEWS:** “Several Congressmen have objected strongly to plans for the 1970 census, plans which include 120 questions probing more deeply into the personal lives and habits of Americans than ever before. Census takers would ask every American to give the source of all income, the value of his or her property, tell with whom he shares his bathroom, tell his marital, educational, military and employment history, etc. Ohio Congressman James Betts introduced a bill to bar the bureaucrats from obtaining this information under threat of a penalty of 60 days in jail or a \$100 fine or both. He is acting in the interests of the average citizen, and almost certainly has the support of a majority.”

**TOWANDA, PA., REVIEW:** “At an average of 5 feet, 10 inches Americans are tied for the title of giants of the human race. Anthropologists predict that the United States will hold undisputed claim within a few years. Sharing honors now are the Nilotic tribesmen of Africa. This tribe maintains its height average selection of mates whereas Americans are growing taller because of progress in nu-

trition, sanitation and medicine.”

**URAY, VA., PAGE NEWS AND COURIER:** “One thing sure, it is absolutely necessary in these days to know how to read and write. Otherwise, a person is condemned to an ordinary existence and in many cases becomes the ward of the welfare department. Many of the demonstrators who shout for change could use their time much better by applying themselves to books than voicing demands for handouts which they don't deserve.”

**PORTLAND, ORE., OREGONIAN:** “It is against New York law for public employees to strike. But transit workers, teachers and sanitation workers have struck and been punished only by token fines

and brief jailing of a few union leaders. The cure for the sickness that has caused New York public employees to violate the law and their oaths of office appears from this distance to be strict administration of the medicine prescribed by law.”

**—The Steamboat Pilot Steamboat Springs, Colorado**  
It seems like every two or three years, I run across this favorite saying of John Ruskin.

Again it is reprinted because its message is sound.  
“It's unwise to pay too much, but it's worse to pay too little. When you pay too much, you lose a little money—that is all. When you pay too little, you sometimes lose everything because the thing you bought was incapable of doing the thing it was bought to do.  
“The common law of business balance prohibits paying a little and getting a lot—it can't be done. “If you deal with the lowest bidder, it is well to add something for the risk you run. And if you do that, you will have enough to pay for something better.”



**Saturday, January 11**  
2-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open

**Sunday, January 12**  
Services at the Church of your choice

**Monday, January 13**  
9 a.m., County Commissioners meeting in County Judge's office in Courthouse

1 p.m., School Board meeting in superintendent's office in Central Administration building

3 p.m., Hospital Auxiliary

7 p.m., Wesleyan Service Guild Meeting in fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church

8 p.m., Sonora Elks Lodge 2336 meeting at Elk Lodge building

7:30 p.m., Booster Club meeting in School Cafeteria

**Tuesday, January 14**  
12 noon, Downtown Lions Club meeting in fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church

7:30 p.m., West Side Lions Club at Lions Cage

7:30 p.m., Bronco Booster Club vs All American Red Heads, High School Gym

**Wednesday, January 15**  
3-5 p.m., Sonora Woman's Club Library open



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**Spell Quiz**

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?  
accidentally    accidentally    accidently

(Meaning: Haphazardly; unexpectedly.)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.

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**THE DEVIL'S RIVER PHILOSOPHER SEZ . . .**

**After Taking A Look Around He Finds 1969 Will Be As Interesting As Any**

Editor's note: The Devil's River Philosopher on his bitterweed ranch on Dry Devil's River reviews the situation as a new year turns up.

Dear editor:  
The trouble with going into a new year is you have to drag a lot of the old one along with you, as I was reminded when I walked through a mud puddle in the backyard the other day just about dark and tracked not only mud into the house but a copy of a newspaper which stuck to my feet. I used my head though and cleaned my shoes with the society section and saved the rest to read.

There are some who would have reversed this, but women are entitled to read whatever they can swing. This doesn't apply to all women and I want to say in advance I wasn't talking about any who may take exception to this, and if they do, tell them you've lost my address.

One page of the paper was filled with a review of the past year and a prediction for the new one. According to it, 1968 was a lousy year and 1969 will be worse. Man, it said, can't manage his affairs, all countries are in trouble and the world is going busted. There was some doubt we'd make it through 1969, and some question whether we should.

I don't agree. The world is no worse than it's ever been, it's just better televised. A hundred years ago, two countries could be at war and by the time the rest of the world heard about it a peace treaty already had been signed and both sides were working on ways to break it. Nowadays, one African tribesman can throw a spear at another one this morning and you can see it on television to-

**THE HANDY FAMILY**  
BY LLOYD BIRMINGHAM

WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH THAT OLD NOTE-BOOK-JUNIOR? I JUST THREW IT IN THE TRASH CAN!

AHA! I SHALL TRANSFORM IT INTO A USEFUL ITEM FOR THE KITCHEN!

**JUNIOR MADE A "SNAP-IN" UTENSIL RACK**

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**from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK**  
DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

**January 6, 1939**  
Miss Elizabeth Elliott was announced as winner in the Lions Club “Beauty and the Beast” welfare contest. Dr. I. B. Boughton, sponsored by the Methodist Women was winner in the men's division.

The Sonora firm known as Rancho Gas Co. Inc. was purchased this week by Joe Oberkamp of Ozona from its founders, E. D. Shurley and Clayton Pucket.

From the Bronco—Is it a “red head”, blond, or “brunett” that Rex has a crush on in Ft. Stockton? Maybe he's just visiting James on the ranch.

From Cedar Hill School News—All of the students report having a nice Christmas—The Ahrens boys visited their grandmother at Johnson City—Raymond Shroyer visited his sister, Mrs. Wright Davis—Mrs. Adams visited her parents at Center Point. Everyone else stayed at Camp Allison and shot firecrackers.

Miss Mary Louise Gardner and John W. Hull were united in marriage at the First Baptist Church in Houston.

**January 7, 1949**  
In a year which saw a severe drought descend on much of West Texas, Sutton County ranchmen fared well as a whole. The County received 17.62 inches of rain during 1948, while Pecos County got 6 1/2 inches.

An estimated 280 to 300 deer and turkey fell before the guns of hunters during 1948 in this county.

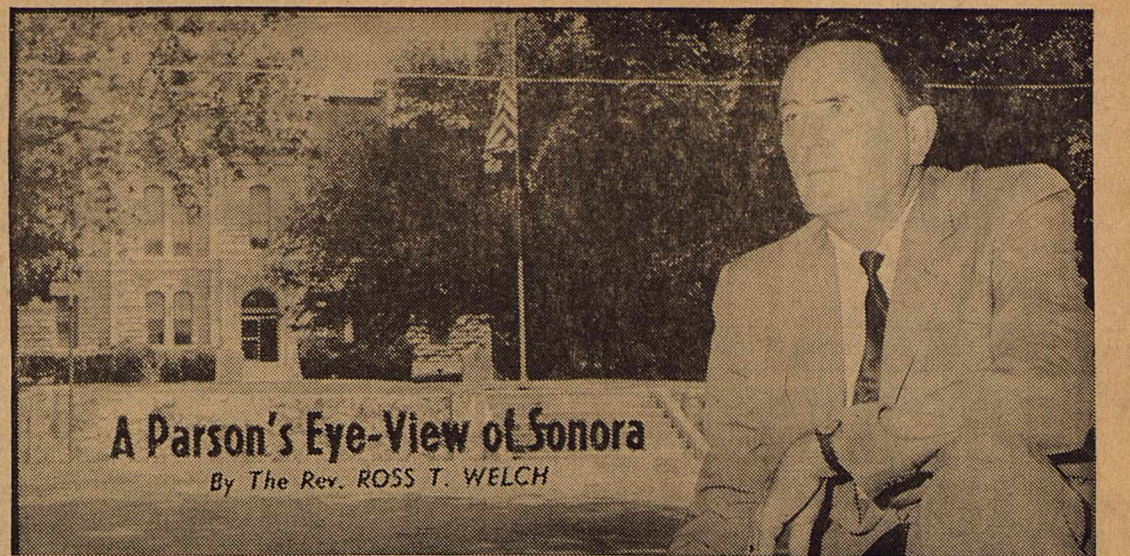
**63 Years Ago**  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stites were in from the G. S. Allison ranch several days this week visiting and shopping.

C. T. Turney and family left for Las Cruces, N.M., Saturday where they will reside for some time.

Walter Whitehead was up from the ranch last Saturday and reports good rains down his way.

T. J. Stuart had 1,200 goats shorn when the cold snap came up last Sunday. By all hands working day and night for three days building fires and working constantly they lost only 4 or 5 head.

Will Sultmeyer sold to Theo Savell 6 pony mares at \$35 a head.



**A Parson's Eye-View of Sonora**  
By The Rev. ROSS T. WELCH

Did you watch any football New Year's Day? You COULD have watched enough to last until next September. The Oklahoma-S.M.U. game in the Astrodome has to go into the records as one of the most exciting games of the season played on New Year's Eve.

Incidentally, the Southwest Conference showed up well in the bowl business with S.M.U., Arkansas and Texas all winning, and the Longhorns ran over Tennessee pretty badly.

S.M.U. opened the conference race in basketball with a win over last year's champions—the T.C.U. Frogs. So everything has gone very well so far as your friend—the Parson—is concerned.

Virginia is nearly nine years old. She has a good mind and has practically taught herself to read with the help of her young cousins. She has never been to school. She is crippled. She lives in Sonora. We discovered her when we were preparing to distribute baskets at Christmas time.

This made me wonder if there are other handicapped children in Sutton County who, for one reason or another, are being deprived of an education. Is it fair to deprive a little girl of the training of her mind simply because her legs do not work normally?

I am not sure what can be done for Virginia, but I think something should be done. This is not intended to be a “crusading” column, but I thought if the proper persons were informed about this situation, a miracle might happen.

There is a new home going up on the old highway out by the Carl Cahill plant. We understand it is to be the new address for the Jack Sharp family.

I suppose the “flu” has reached epidemic proportions in Sonora, judging by the crowded condition of our hospital. I tried to go into Ruth Shurley Jewelry, but found a note on the door stating that both Ruth and Helen Johnson were ill. Later Ruth called and said they were both in the hospital.

Incidentally, it is bad enough to be in the hospital under the best of conditions, but such an experience assumes tragic proportions when one is hospitalized hundreds of miles from home and is deaf so that he cannot communicate by telephone with his family.

I received a long distance call from Louisiana last week anxiously inquiring about a couple from Baton Rouge who had been involved in an accident near here on December 21 and hospitalized. Both were deaf and the relatives were concerned. Fortunately, they were well cared for and making nice recovery, and I sent reassuring word back to their relatives.

It was good to see at least one Bronco on each of the All West Texas teams named in Sunday's Standard-Times. Ed Lee and Erasmus were on the first string, offensive and defensive; and Monte and Jim on the two second string teams. We are eager to see how many Broncos make the All State Team which should be named before this is in print.

The Broncos '68 had some outstanding players, but I think everyone would agree that it was their team work that won the championship.

Now the football season is over and the round of livestock shows is beginning for the boys and girls who have livestock to exhibit. Perhaps the school children learn as much at some of their extra-curricular activities as they would in the classroom, but teachers sometime wonder if there is ever a time when they can command the full attention of their students for the work they are supposed to do in their classes.

Welcome to Sonora: The Reverend and Mrs. Homer Akers arrived last week to take over the leadership of the Church of the Good Shepherd (Presbyterian). This completes our quota of resident ministers in Sonora, a goal we have been shooting for the past several months.

Six churches have changed leadership since I arrived in Sonora less than three years ago. That is almost a clean sweep.

I soon discovered that the Akers started their ministry at Natalia which is only four miles from Devine, where we spent five years, so we have many mutual friends. Their last and longest pastorate was in Portales, New Mexico.

Installation services will be held in the Church of the Good Shepherd Sunday evening. Brother Homer had long held the deanship among the clergy of Portales and now comes to be the freshman for the season in Sonora.

It was characteristic of the speed of group action I suppose, the

Ordination services for the Rev. Norman Griffith are scheduled for the Saint John's Episcopal Church, Sunday, February 2.

While we are on church news, let me remind the young people of the Episcopal, Lutheran, Methodist and Presbyterian churches that the U.C.Y.F. will resume its meetings Sunday evening, January 12.

There seemed to be a feeling of satisfaction among the members of the Sutton County Historical Society when they met at the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, that now we are on our way.

A deed was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt to the Miers Home across from City Hall, the fifth house to be erected in Sonora, for use as a museum. After the meeting adjourned, most of those in attendance visited the museum site.

Plans were discussed for making the building secure so that possible donors or lenders would not be afraid to place things of value in the museum. Since the Sonora Woman's Club had expressed an interest in helping with the furnishing of the museum, a motion was passed inviting the club to assume responsibility for furnishing the bedroom. Mrs. James Hunt was named as the coordinator to represent the Historical Society in this undertaking.

Dorothy Cusenbary, president, is putting a lot of time and thought into trying to get the museum properly organized. About eighteen persons were in attendance. Future generations will have only a faint idea of what life was like in the early days in Sutton County, but anything that can be done to make that impression more vivid will be of great value.

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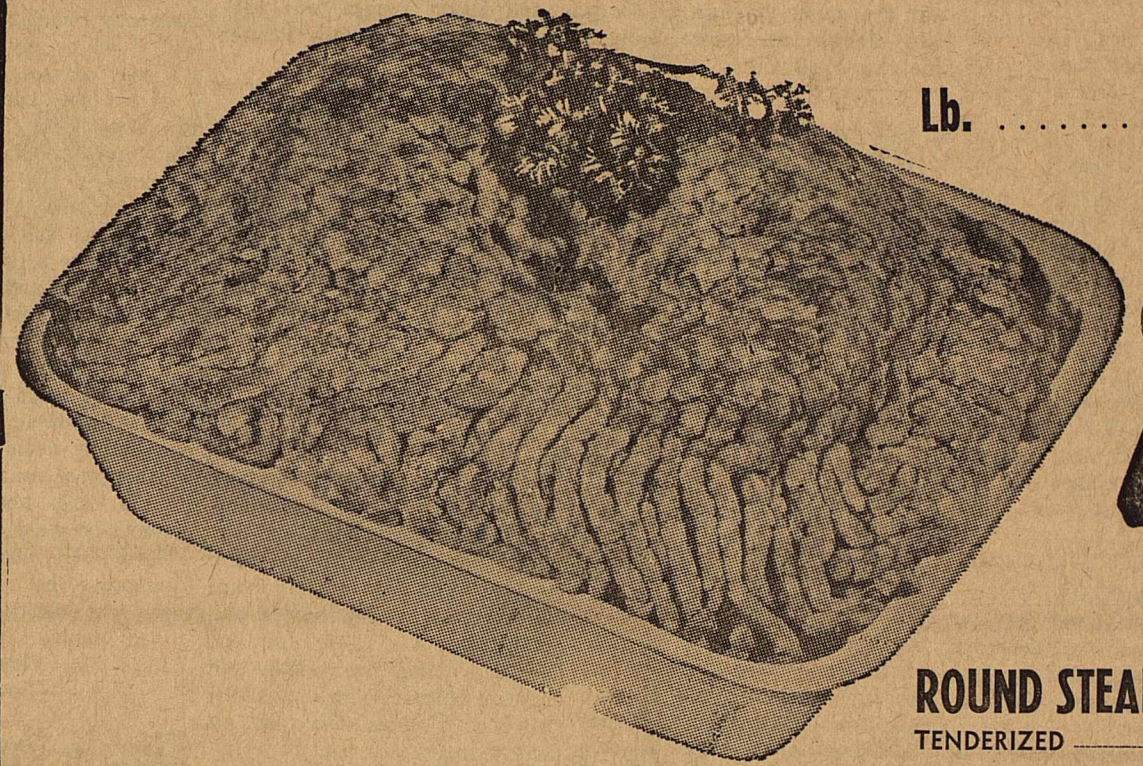
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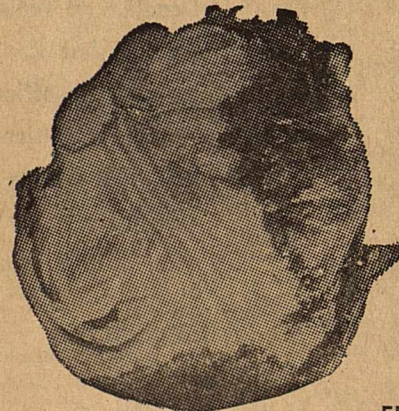
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### Sgt. Rodrigo Santos Engages In Battle With Viet Cong

LAI KHE, Vietnam—In action ending almost as quickly as it had begun, 1st Infantry Division soldiers killed three Viet Cong along an enemy supply route.

Having just spent the night at their RON site east of Lai Khe, Company C of the 2nd Battalion (Mechanized), 2nd Infantry began a dismounted recon-in-force mission. They had traveled approximately 300 yards when the lead element discovered a well - used trail.

"We were checking the area out," recalled Sergeant Rodrigo Santos, of Sonora, "when I spotted a small group of VC passing directly in front of our right flank."

Sergeant Santos and platoon leader First Lieutenant James Clark of Reno, Nevada, directed a base of fire that eliminated two of the enemy. Much of this fire power was provided by M-60 machine-gunner, PFC Ronald McDonald, Tupelo, Mississippi, who moved under fire from his position in the left flank as soon as the initial contact was made.

The third Viet Cong was stopped as he fled by PFC Joe Garcia of Galveston, who chased the enemy. Later, a search of the surrounding jungle revealed many bunkers and fighting entrenchments in the early stages of construction.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Si Loeffler over the holidays was the Carlos Loeffler family of Kennedy. While here they attended the funeral of his grandfather, Albert C. Loeffler of Mason.



WET WEATHER AT SAN MARCOS dampened the hair but not the spirit of Marilyn Morgan and Susan Prugel, who register delight at Sonora Broncos' victory over the Poth Pirates for the 1968 Class A Championship.

### Letter To The Editor

Devil's River News  
John T. King  
Sonora, Texas 76950

Dear Mr. King,  
I came across a clipping recently that a fellow member of my outfit had cut out of his hometown newspaper, from Montana. I thought that it was both comical and very near the truth. I have enclosed a copy of the article, as I thought you might enjoy reading it; and if possible passing it along to other readers of The Devil.

My copies of the Devil have begun to arrive here, and it is real nice to be able to keep up with news of hometown folks and friends

while halfway around the world. Even though I have to wait several days for it to get here, I enjoy reading the Devil as always.

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WHAT IS A RANCHER?  
(By Larry H. Humphrey)

Ranchers are usually found where there's cattle-feeding, dehorning, branding, trading, roping, and doctoring. Bankers hate to see them coming; Little boys admire them; The Secretary of Agriculture confuses them; City folk visit and don't understand them; Meals wait on them; Barbed wire cuts them; Television glorifies them, but nothing discourages them.

They like fairs, rodeos, auctions, dogies, hounds, dances, neighbors, forty-dollar boots, Saturday night in town, poker, good weather, fist fights, and rank horses.

Ranchers don't care much for poodles, dudes, government men, weather, lightning, dairy cows, sheep brush, or weak coffee. They put up with relatives, worms, flies, floods, blizzards, feed salesmen, drought, bad luck, and bad weather.

Today a rancher must be a salesman, animal nutritionist, yet a biologist, weather prophet, and a banker's calculated risk. He handles more money than most businessmen and makes less clear profit than a paper boy.

No man is so far from church, yet so close to God. No man gets so much genuine enjoyment out of running water, television, and a good game of pool.

He carries in his pocket at one time: Bull Durham, pocket knife, staples, tally book, one-inch lead pencil, business cards of at least five competing politicians (all of whom he has promised to vote for), cattle ear tags, fencing pliers, piggin' string, \$1.98 watch, billfold (empty), and a curry comb.

No one gets kicked, run over, stepped on, bruised, cut up, or as mad as he does in a single day's work.

He is overly optimistic in: the cattle market, next year, the ten-year old cow that has never calved, range conditions, the hay crop, and his twice-renewed livestock loan.

No one is as generous, big-hearted, friendly, dependable, wise, or honest; and he will swap anything except his spurs, rope or bits.

He trusts his fellow man.

The rancher is the producer of meat, the hope of the future, the self-made man of today. Big business doesn't fear him; the government doesn't subsidize him. He relies on free enterprise and the hope that next year will be as good (or better) as last. He doesn't cry on shoulders when hard times hit, but resolves to do better if he can.

He is the epitome of the American ideal, and knows that he either must survive without government or perish with it.

### Letter TO THE Editor

The Editor  
The Devil's River News,  
Sonora, Texas

Dear Sir,  
After Christmas my children and I drove to Ruidosa for a ski trip. We returned by a different route and so passed through many small towns similar in size to Sonora. Two things about these towns impressed us very much. They were clean and they had festive looking Christmas decorations. In comparison, Sonora falls too far short on both counts. Why can't we have a cleaner, more impressive looking town?

Sonora's natural setting is beautiful but the overgrown weeds along streets and on vacant lots, the run-down vacant buildings, and the piles of trash and general litter are a disgrace. It would help if our garbage collectors would close the garbage truck when driving along instead of letting fly with anything and everything. I'm constantly cleaning up broken glass and litter in my driveway, and it's jelly glasses, etc., of brands I do not use. Last week we had two large sacks of someone's Christmas wrappings to pick up—not ours.

As for the Christmas lights, they are too sad-looking to bother with. I'd like to suggest that next year we do something about them. If nothing else, the strings we have could be concentrated to spell out a cheery NOEL at either end of town. They could be used to light up one giant Christmas tree. If each family would make one large weather-proof ornament, we could have a lovely tree and the whole community could take pride in it.

There's so much we could do to improve the appearance of Sonora, why don't we?

Maxine Browne  
(Mrs. Charles F. Browne)

### Kimble Hospital Hires R. E. Vernor

Robert E. Vernor, who has been employed at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital in the administrative offices, has been hired as administrator of the Kimble County Hospital effective January 2.

Vernor is a graduate of Sul Ross College with a Bachelor of Science degree in biology. He worked in Hudspeth Hospital under Albert M. Everett, administrator, learning hospital business and helping in the bookkeeping department.

The Junction hospital was built in 1958, and was operated as a county institution until it closed in 1965. Plans are for the hospital to re-open in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler visited the Rev. A. Lin Loeffler and family in Aransas Pass recently. While there they saw their oldest grandson, Robert Dean, of the U. S. Naval Academy.



Sonora Broncos had the unique experience of being one of the three class A high schools to repeat as the State Championship football teams. The Broncos beat the Poth Pirates for the coveted title by a 9-0 margin. This was the only defeat for the highly rated Pirates as they had a 14 game winning streak until they met the mighty Broncos whose unyielding defense and explosive offense put an end to their dreams.

Congratulations are in order for the football boys who earned district, regional, and all West Texas honors.

SHS  
Basketball season is here with three home games played Tuesday. The boys played in the Big Lake tournament with only a few days practice experience for most of them. They faced Brady in the opening game, and bowed out to Winters in the consolation round.

There was a "B" team game and both a boy's and girl's "A" team games against Ozona Tuesday night in Bronco gym.

SHS  
Anyone could tell that Monday was the first day of school after the holidays by the dragging of feet, long faces, and by the stacks of books each student had propped under his arms. There was the look of despair on the faces of more than one student as he remembered some homework assigned before the holidays and tried to think of a plausible excuse.

SHS  
Things were slow and deliberate with several students having to ask for tardy slips. Seems as though some of the boys couldn't see to find their classes through their bloodshot eyes. Too much egg nog boys? Most of the girls looked much better than the boys. Why shouldn't they? They weren't out late unless it was with other girls. The boys don't seem to find the time to ask them out. Oh, well, that's life.

SHS  
There will be a semi-formal dance at the school cafeteria Saturday night. All of the high school is welcome to attend.

SHS  
The annual Sutton County livestock show will be held Saturday and will last all day. Only Sutton County 4H members are eligible to participate in the show held in the 4H Barn.

SHS  
Sonora's Invitational Speech Meet is approaching fast. Everyone

should be thinking about places for the contestants to stay. Many of the contestants have told me that this is the best speech meet in the state and they always enjoy it more than any of the others. Let's hope the forthcoming SHS students as well as the present ones will try their best to keep it on the high level former students have put it. Due to conflict with the Fling Ding, the meet has been moved back to February 28.

SHS  
Cheerleaders want to remind everyone to give the basketball teams as much support as they did the football teams.

"B" boys are coached by the Junior High principal Bob McMinn. Two new coaches have the responsibility of the girl's and boy's "A" teams.

Jerry Phillips is leading the boys, while Mrs. Evans has the job of starting a girl's team.

Jeff Harris Named Staff Sergeant  
Sp-5 Jeff S. Harris, son of Mae Harris and Pete Harris of Big Lake, made Staff Sergeant on December 12.

Harris also received a second award on the good conduct medal, and a certificate of achievement from the battalion commander for making a superior student in the Honest John Prefire Course which has to do with the operation of nuclear warheads on surface to surface rockets.

### FIREMEN'S CORNER

Newly elected officers of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department for 1969 are president, Fred Adkins; vice president, Hollis Rogers; Chief, J. C. Luttrell; 1st assistant chief, E. L. Harrell; 2nd assistant chief, Darcy Carroll; chaplain, Lester Byer; secretary, Kyle Donaldson; retirement fund trustees, Jimmy Harris and Hollis Rogers; directors, Louis Olenick and Dick Hearn; mother, Mrs. Ervin Willman; and fire marshal (appointed by the city) Darcy Carroll.

387-2424  
Fire chief J. C. Luttrell reported that firemen were hampered very much at the Chris Haines house fire on Friday night December 27, by spectators and curiosity seekers. Cars were parked and left in the streets blocking the fire trucks from reaching the fire. After moving some of them and going around some more, the pumper truck laid about 1000 of 2½ inch hose to the nearest fire

hydrant. This was about three blocks from the actual fire. A car can run over a fully charged hose line, the hose will rupture. A few minutes delay while replacing a ruptured section of hose can cause the loss of an entire house. The firemen had to literally fight people to keep them from crossing this hose line. Luttrell says that the next time you do this or see it done at a fire scene, just hope and pray that no one does it when your house is on fire.

387-2424  
Children have been playing with the telephone and calling the fire number. This ties up 19 phones and a fire cannot be reported while the children are on the phones. Please caution your children about dialing the fire number.

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STATE \_\_\_\_\_

Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

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If resident of county less than 6 months, show date of arrival \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Voter Registration Certificate (1) to above permanent address, (2) to my temporary address at \_\_\_\_\_  
(3) hold for delivery to me in person. (Strike statements which are not applicable.)  
I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.  
No one can act as agent and sign for another except husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter. Agent must be qualified voter in county.  
Return this application to the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Agent's address \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of applicant or agent\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Agent's relationship to applicant \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTER NOW TO VOTE During 1969**

Everyone must register to be eligible to vote—including those 60 years and older. Deadline to register is January 31. Use this application or call our office for additional application blanks. You must have a registration certificate to be eligible to vote in 1969 in city, county, or state general or special elections.

**TAXES ARE NOW DUE**

County, State, and School taxes are now due and payable without discount. Pay before February 1 in order to avoid penalty.

**Herman Moore**  
Sheriff and Tax Assessor and Collector  
Sutton County, Texas



### Legal Notice

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS:**

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Sutton County, Texas, will receive bids at the office of the County Judge of Sutton County, Texas, in the Court House, until 9:00 o'clock a.m. on January 20, 1969, for furnishing said county with the following:

- One 1969 truck tractor, chassis-cab model with the following equipment and specifications:
- Heater and defroster
- Right and left windshield wipers
- Right and left exterior rear view mirror
- Directional signal lights
- Minimum GCW Rating to be 50,000 lbs
- Minimum front axle rating 9,000 lbs
- Minimum rear axle rating 18,500 lbs with two speed ratios 7.17-9.77:1
- Five speed synchromesh transmission with ratios approximately 7.55, 4.17, 2.45, 1.45 and the fifth direct
- Engine to have a displacement of not less than 391 cu. in.
- Maximum gross h.p. not less than 235 h.p.
- Radiator - heavy duty
- Oil filter on motor
- Brakes-full air

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- Trailer electrical connection
- Wheels-spoke type
- 10:00 x 20 tires - 12 ply tube type nylon and tubes
- Spare tire and rim
- Wheel base approximately 133 in. C A 60 in.
- Auxiliary fuel tanks to be mounted on truck with the tanks to be furnished by the County
- Truck to be equipped with Holland fifth wheel No. 2000-36
- Bumper type radiator guard
- Truck to be equipped to pass safety inspection and to include sticker.

Bidders shall submit with bid complete and detailed specifications on the equipment they propose to furnish, delivered to Sonora, Texas. The Court shall have the right to reject any and all bids.

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County Judge, Sutton  
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- Two 1969 model Dump Trucks with the following equipment and specifications:
- Motor to be not less than 330 cu. in., not less than 190 h.p.
- Oil Filter
- Heavy Duty radiator
- Bumper type radiator guard
- G.C.W. not less than 32,000 lbs
- G.V.W. not less than 19,500 lbs
- Gross torque to be not less than 300 lbs. ft. 2000 RPM
- Fresh air heater and defroster
- Right and left electric windshield wipers, 2 speed
- Rear view exterior mirror, right and left
- Wheel base not less than 125 in.
- Cab to rear axle measurement to be not less than 60 in.
- Transmission to be four speed synchromesh with power takeoff
- Heavy duty clutch
- Rear axle - two speed with not less than 15,000 lb. capacity with ratios approximately 6.40-8.72
- Brakes - hydraulic with vacuum heavy duty booster
- Directional signal lights - double faced front and single rear
- Main rear springs not less than 8,750 lbs capacity
- Auxiliary rear springs - not less than 2,000 lb capacity
- Front springs - not less than 2,600 lb. capacity
- Seven budd disc. wheels
- Seven goodyear, firestone or general first line nylon or nygen 8.25 x20 tube type tires and tubes
- Trucks to be equipped with (No. 12R3) 6 ft 8 in x 8 ft. four to five yard gallon dump body complete with No. 700N hoist (9 ton Cap.)
- Cab protector
- Lever type controls
- Mud flaps, lights and equipment required to pass safety inspection, sticker to be included.

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furnish, delivered to Sonora, Texas. The successful bidder will be expected to take two 1963 Chevrolet dump trucks with beds and equipment as part payment of said truck. The court shall have the right to reject any and all bids.

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County, Texas

**Pat Reardons Here During Holidays**

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Reardon and daughter, Ami, were here during the Christmas holidays at their home at the Ranch Experiment Station. Reardon is attending Texas A&M University at College Station.

### Snips, Quips, And Lifts

**ANOTHER YEAR ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY.**

Another year is dead. Another opportunity has been born. May the memories of the Old Year be the lessons of the New Year. May the opportunities of the Old Year be the challenges of the New Year.

Ode To Last Year's Calendar  
Scribbled pages testify to dates you've helped me keep; Grocery lists remembered and intentions by the heap. Such as: "write to Mother L", and darn H's socks today"; "Wash the kitchen windows now!" (The ones all streaked and gray.) Your successor now I greet with pages clean and new. Now last year's good intentions won't stare back at me from you!

—People may doubt what you say, but they will always believe as they are, and doing things as they should be done.

—Variety is the spice of life, but monetary provides the grocery: a calendar to remind him when the payments are due.

—Future generations will be born free, equal and in debt. A LIFT FOR THE WEEK LIFE: It's not how long you make it — it's how you make it long.

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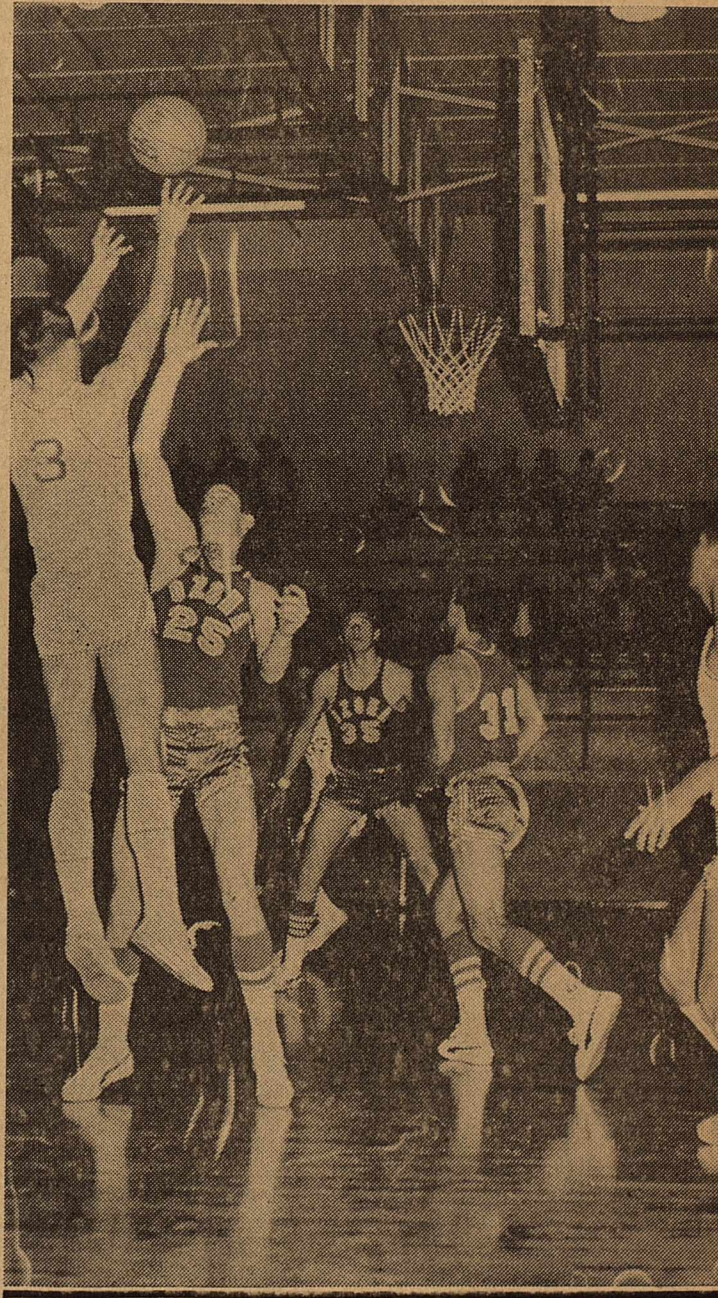
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Tues. Jan. 7	Ozona Here	Ozona Here	Ozona Here
Thurs. Jan. 9	Robert Lee There	Robert Lee There	
Tues. Jan. 14			
Fri. Jan. 17	Menard Here	Menard Here	Menard Here
Fri. Sat. Jan. 17-18	Ozona Tournament		
Tues. Jan. 21	Mason There	Mason There	Mason There
Fri. Jan. 24	Eden Here	Eden Here	Eden Here
Tues. Jan. 28	Eldorado There	Eldorado There	Eldorado There
Fri. Jan. 31	Junction There	Junction There	Junction There
Tues. Feb. 4	Menard There	Menard There	Menard There
Fri. Feb. 7	Mason Here	Mason Here	Mason Here
Mon. Feb. 10	Eden There	Eden There	Eden There
Fri. Feb. 14	Eldorado Here	Eldorado Here	Eldorado Here
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 Friday, January 10  
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 Saturday, January 11  
 Tim Allison  
 Terry Trainer Kines  
 Mrs. Joe Nance  
 Mrs. Bobby Jo Granger  
 Mrs. Billy Hayden  
 Sunday, January 12  
 R. A. McCulloch

Mrs. Robert Lawson  
 Maxine Davis  
 Mrs. Neil Rouché  
 Jack Drennan  
 Anna Maria Fernandez

Monday, January 13  
 Ralph P. Mayer  
 Mrs. D. C. Bruce  
 Ben F. Meckel  
 Terry Mathis  
 Tim Cole  
 Mario Duran  
 Jorge Alberto Sanchez

Tuesday, January 14  
 Ford Allen  
 Mrs. Jim Perry  
 Mrs. Bill Morriss  
 Carol Rose Carpenter  
 Delma Gandar  
 Betty Jane Artiga

Wednesday, January 15  
 Bill Savell  
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By Monica Davis

**HAPPY NEW YEAR FRIENDS,** from the Sonora Golf Club.  
 GN

And believe me, it just has to be happier than the way '68 ended for one golfer of my acquaintance. This here goon goes out on one of the first pretty days we've had in ages, all pepped up and going to set the course on fire, well aside from ripping a shirt all to pieces, this would be golfer also managed to wrap a four wood around a tree. The score?? well, even with the handicap—aw let's forget it!!!  
 GN

The Christmas party was really a lovely party. The Club House was so festive, and the food was out of this world. There was a wonderful crowd, and everyone had a glorious time.  
 GN

We all thought that by this time we'd be able to play on the new putting green, but with all the terribly cold weather we have had, the grass just can't grow. If we had some more days like Saturday and Sunday tho, I'll bet it wouldn't be too long before we could use it.

Believe it or not, the Ladies Match Play Tournament is over! I think I have the winners. If there are any corrections to be made—well, I stand to be corrected.

Anyway, the players in the Championship flight were Sammy Espy, Wanda Cahill, Bobby Fawcett, Jo Neville, Pauline Thompson, and Peggy Trainer. Sammy was Medalist winner, and flight winner; Peggy was runner-up, and Pauline won consolation.

In the first flight players were Mary Barrow, Lucille McMillan, Peggy Elliott, Ann Herrmann, Ann Hill and Marilyn Bloodworth.

Mary Barrow was winner, Peggy was runner-up, while Ann Hill won consolation.

Players in the second flight were Martha Black, Yvonne Carroll, Dorothy Harrell, and Monica Davis. Martha won first; Monica was runner-up, and Yvonne consolation.

The third flight players consisted of Nelda Mayfield, Mary Lois

Brown, Libbye Lowe, and Muriel Brown. Nelda won first; Libbye was runner-up, and Mary Lois, consolation.

GN  
 I noticed Martha Black and Yvonne Carroll were at it again early Monday morning. I can really understand liking the game of golf, but so early in the morning, and when it is still sooooo cold!

GN  
 Don't forget our luncheon to be held January 15. We'll be getting in touch with you to let you know where and at what time.

### Just Arrived

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sanders are parents of a son, Micheal Ray, who was born December 26, 1968, at Robert Lee.

Mrs. Mandy Simmons is the paternal grandmother, and Mrs. Ed Wall is the paternal great-grandmother.

**Field Representative Sets Visit**  
 Bob Logan, Field Representative for the San Angelo social security office, has scheduled his January visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse on Friday, January 10 between 8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

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### Just Arrived



Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Friess of Oklahoma City are parents of a daughter, Julie Kay, born December 29, 1968 at St. Anthony Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces. Friess, a geophysical trainee at Phillips Petroleum Co., expects to be inducted into the armed forces February 7, but hopes to visit Sonora before that time. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Friess.

Visiting the Max Hardegrees during the Christmas holidays were their daughter, Mickey, a student at Texas Tech, and Mrs. Hardegrees' mother, Mrs. Monty Yantis of San Angelo. Mrs. Yantis also visited the Ernest Conns on the Aldwell ranch for several days. All of the buildings have been

### Saint Ann's Recaps

by Monica Davis  
 The Holy Name Society had its monthly Communion Sunday on December 8, Holy Name Sunday. The men held their meeting immediately after seven a.m. mass in the Parish Hall.

The CYO group received Communion in a body at its monthly meeting December 15 at 10 o'clock Mass. These youngsters are doing a marvelous job in the parish in all factions: from the spiritual angle to the social bit. They have helped many in the Parish who didn't even realize their good deeds.

The Altar Society was at 7 o'clock Communion Mass December 29. A meeting was held in the Parish Hall after Mass—breakfast was also served. The last Sunday in January will be time for the selection and election of new officers.

All of the buildings have been

moved now, except the Church itself, and it looks as if that job is not too far away. While the new Church is being built, we'll have Mass in the parish hall. We are looking forward to that wonderful day of ground breaking for our new building.

St. Ann's Midnight Mass was very beautiful, and the choir did a wonderful job of singing the Mass. Directly after Mass, a lovely play was held in the Parish Hall. Many, many people attended. The play was written by Father Michael Fernandez. It was about the birth, and early days of Our Lord.

**Omero Gonzales In Korea**  
 Army Private First Class Omero M. Gonzales, 20, whose mother, Mrs. Anita M. Gonzales, lives in Sonora, was assigned November 22 to Headquarters Company, I Corps in Korea, as a generator operator.

### Card of Thanks

My thanks to all the wonderful people who helped make pleasant my stay in the hospital over the holidays. Your cards, letters, visits and gifts meant very much to me.  
 Totsy Hallum 1c



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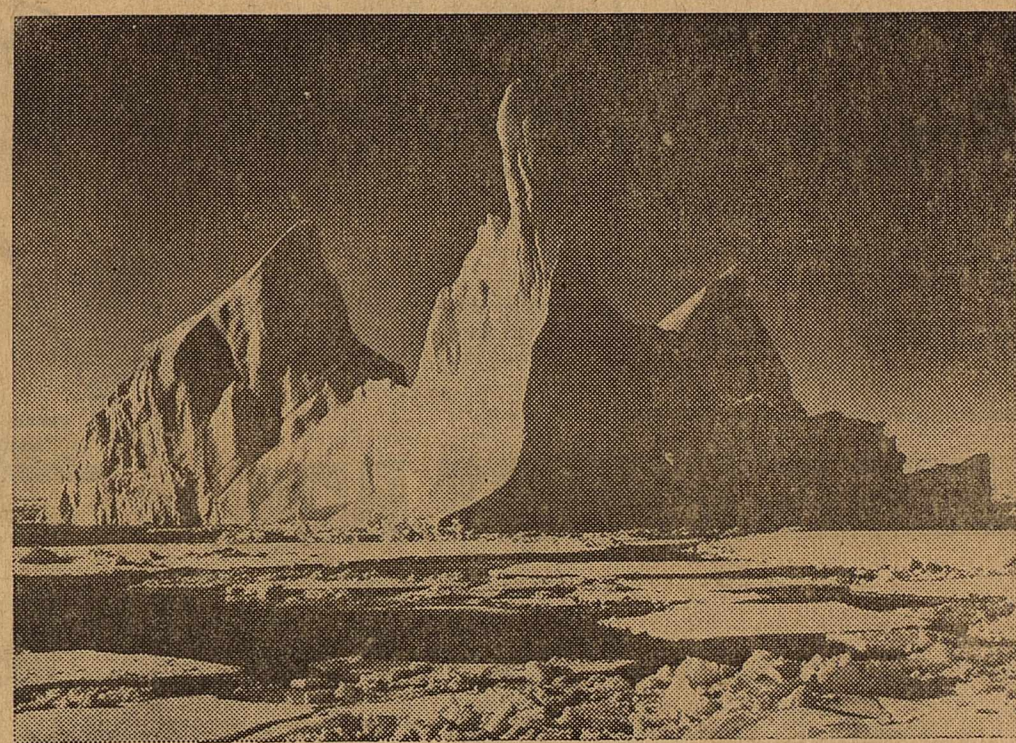
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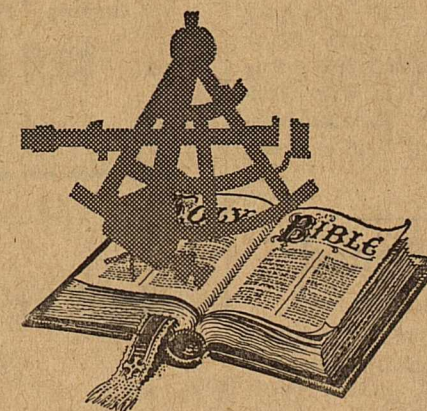
### Too close for comfort

Here's a photograph taken from a kayak. You don't bring a ship this close to an iceberg! For underwater the tentacles of this cruel, cold monster may reach out a mile or more.

Life for some folks is a succession of narrow escapes. But these are adventures we can do without. They don't prove us bold sailors. They simply prove us poor navigators.

Frightened men sometimes turn to religion as a refuge when dangers—moral, spiritual and physical—loom too close for comfort. God does not fail us in crisis.

But the every-day function of faith is to pilot men on a true course through the sea of life. The Church cannot sweep away icebergs. It warns us of their whereabouts and helps us give them a wide berth.

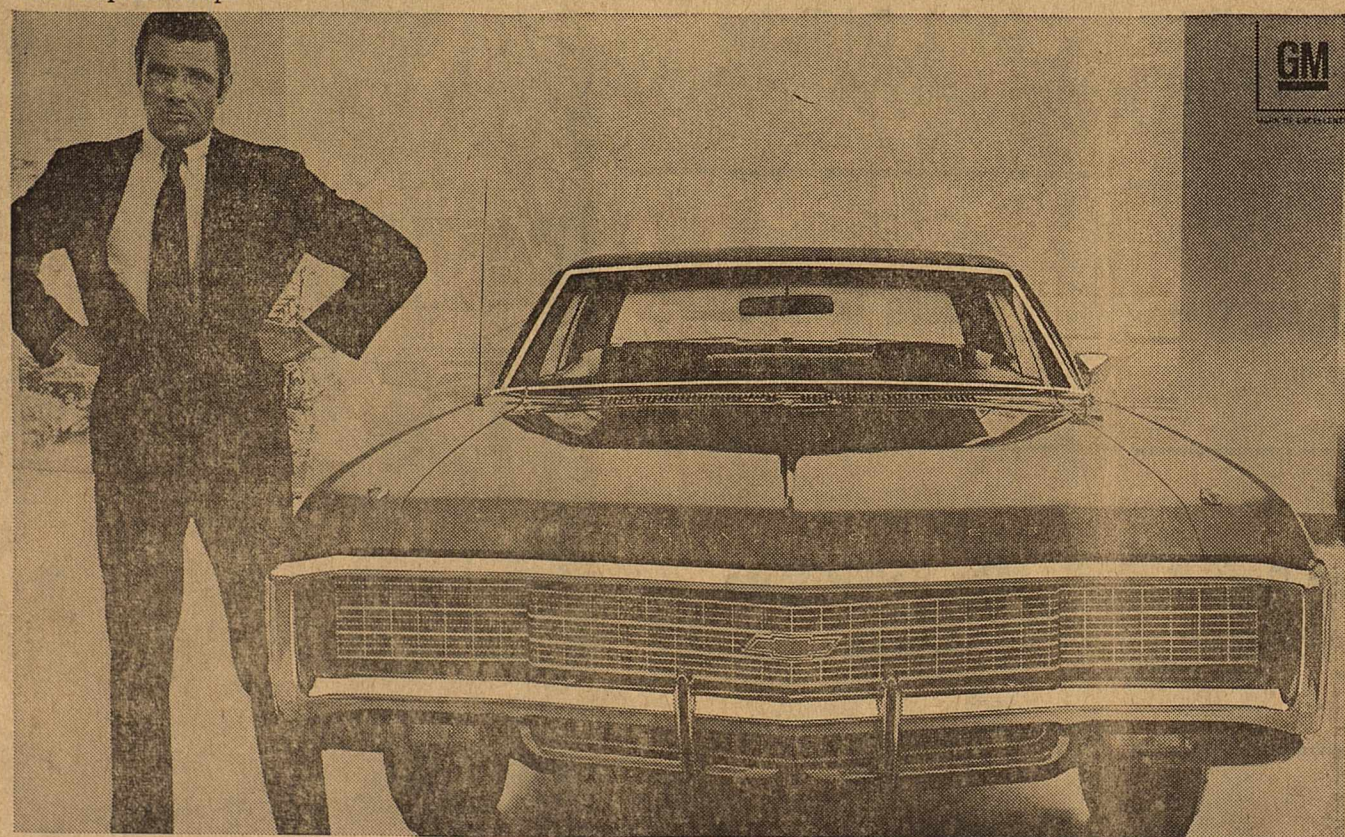


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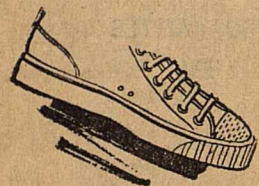
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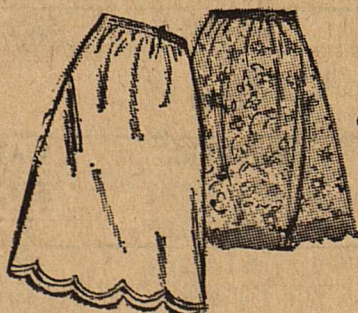
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Tom Trainer spent Christmas in Sonora with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trainer. Tom is a student at Texas University.

Joe Moore was home for Christmas with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Hut Moore. Joe is going to SAC.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cusenbary have returned from a two week trip to Nebraska, where they visited their son and his family, Col. and Mrs. Charles Lee Cusenbary and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill spent the holidays in San Antonio with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooper, Elizabeth Jane and Carolyn and Dr. and Mrs. Paul Law, David, Judy, and Jack Neill.

Tim Thorp was home from Stephenville to spend Christmas with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thorp.

Guy Askew spent the holidays with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Vestel Askew, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyatt.

Jimmy Trainer spent Christmas with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison and with his grandmother, Mrs. Manila Trainer. Jimmy is in college at Texas University.

Henry Decker spent Christmas in Stamford with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Decker, Thad, Sid and Dusty.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond have returned home from San Antonio, where they spent the holidays with their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Bond Jr., Randee, Ford, and Kirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown Ross, Dr. and Mrs. Joe David Ross and son and Mrs. and Mrs. James Buita and children of Austin spent Christmas in New Orleans with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Chastant and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Allison and children spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lea Allison, Sarah, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Merck.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Hardy spent the holidays with their daughter, Miss Sarah Lu Hardy in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fields spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Keng have returned from Kenedy where they spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Doctors Tom and Jan Warner and baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. David L. Smith, and children, Lesa Beth and their new 4-year-old son, Arthur, spent Christmas visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fields. Also visiting the Fields was their son, John David, who is in school at Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vicars spent Christmas in Mertzon with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mans Hoggett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cox of San Angelo spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Duncan. Ronnie is a pharmacist at Western Drug in San Angelo, and has been filling in here at the Western store, while Jimmy Lott has been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sellman and daughter were here for a few days during Christmas.

**HMC**

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin VanHoozer, Mark, Tammy and Marla spent a few days in Marshall visiting their families during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Prater spent Christmas in Kerrville with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chennault and Charlie.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Cauthorn, Mrs. L. E. Johnson Jr., and Mrs. Jack Wardlaw were in San Angelo last Friday visiting with Mrs. L. E. Johnson Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boucher of Elko, Nevada, plowed through the heavy snow storm of the Northwest and were a day longer on the road than usual arriving to spend Christmas week with Janis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sykes and her brothers, Jack Martin Sykes, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sykes, Sherri, and John Wes, and also Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sykes and son Jack. The family was all together December 27 for the first time in several years. Janis and George left Sunday afternoon for their return trip to Elko.

Miss Bonnie Glasscock and a friend spent Sunday and Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. Sim Glasscock. Bonnie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilborn Glasscock of McAllen.

Bill Barrett of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack David Wardlaw during the holidays.

Mrs. Herbert Blackwell and her grandchildren, John and Sheila of El Paso visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Wardlaw during the New Year holidays.

Bill Glasscock, who is stationed with the Army in Ft. Hood was home for the holidays.

Larry Bob Moore has enlisted in the Air Force and will report for duty soon.

**HMC**

Mrs. Hub Hale, Mrs. Miers Savell and Mrs. Ernest McClelland were in San Angelo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Henderson and children of Lubbock were here during the holidays visiting their parents, Mrs. Selma Wyatt, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson. Gene had to leave early to go to interview several football prospects for Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Ward and Ann Elizabeth of Philadelphia spent a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooper and son spent Christmas with his mother and sister, Mrs. Pat Cooper and Betty Jack. Later they went to New Mexico to visit her parents, Randey and Cheryl Awalt and Dale Scott of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt and attended the Peppermint Ball last

week.

Bud Smith of Hurst visited in Sonora during the holidays and attended the Peppermint Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cartwright spent Christmas in Hurst with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Tim McCoy.

**Seven at Seven Bridge Club**

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell entertained the 7 at 7 Bridge Club at their ranch home New Years Eve.

A spaghetti supper by candlelight was served to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neil Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Harris won high score prize; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neil Smith won the traveling prize, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lane binged.

**Thursday Bridge**

Mrs. Karen Peterson entertained with bridge at her home January 2. She served cake and coffee to Mmes. Lucille Hutcherson, Dona Sites, and Mrs. Buelah Cook. Mrs. Sites won the high score prize.

**HMC**

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bishop were here for New Years visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savell, Chip, Cody and Scott.

Eddie Sawyer was home for the holidays visiting with his family,

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Jane and Mollie.

Mr. and Mrs. Vesiel Askew were in San Antonio last week.

Mrs. Hub Hale and E. L. Dunlap were in San Angelo Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louin Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt, Hilary and Bryan Link spent Christmas in Weslaco visiting her parents.

Raymond Barker spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barker.

Miss Viola Adams of San Angelo and Mrs. Les Malmstrom spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Ella Adams, on the ranch.

Buck Skains is home from Vietnam, and is in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. We sure hope you are fine, Buck, and so glad you are home.

Pvt. Richard McMillan spent the

holidays with his parents, and now has reported back to Ft. Ord, California. Miss Cynthia Jan Late was also a guest of the McMillans.

Mrs. Sadie Lee Kring has returned to Alpine after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Sadie Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Nevill and Mrs. Lois Young were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nevill in Ft. Worth. After Christmas the Tom Nevills went to San Antonio, for a Trainer family reunion at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trainer. Others attending the family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. John Trainer, who recently returned from Izmit, Turkey; Mrs. R. D. Stallings, Mrs. Serena Siverling, George M. Trainer, and Mr. and Mrs. James B. Shanks all of Pasadena.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hudson were their son Joe Richard Lancaster of Dallas, and Mrs. Ann Albright and sons of San Antonio. Mrs. Albright is A. C.'s niece.

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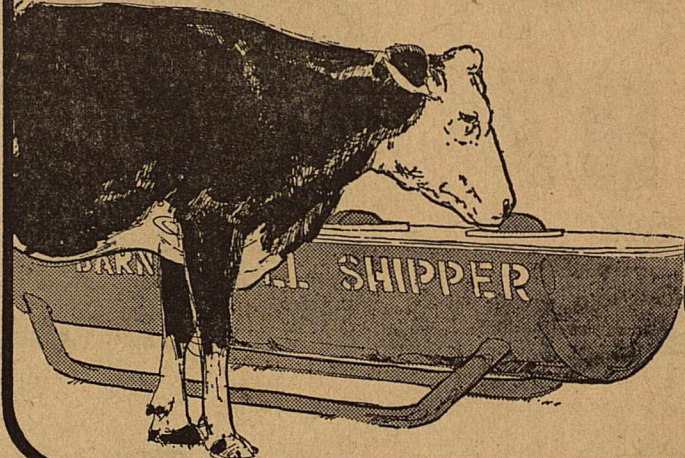
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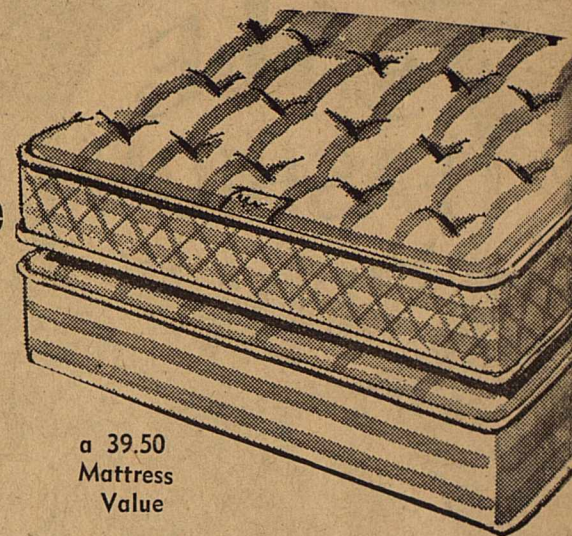
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**Annual Report of City Manager**

FISCAL YEAR

OCTOBER 1, 1967 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1968

TO THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SONORA, TEXAS:

As Manager of the General Department, and the Light, Water and Sewer Systems, of the City of Sonora, Texas, I hereby file with you a condensed balance sheet, and a combined report of the operations of the departments, plants and systems, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1968, as follows:

**CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET**

ASSETS	FUND				
	TOTAL	GENERAL AND SOCIAL SECURITY	ELECTRIC	WATER	SEWER
Current assets	\$256,139.89	\$105,814.91	\$60,306.62	\$45,352.44	\$44,665.92
Property & Equipment—net	1,631,802.30	425,644.86	634,855.93	276,824.21	294,477.30
Deferred charges	6,466.91	-0-	6,466.91	-0-	-0-
Other Assets	1,352.00	362.83	501.90	434.95	52.32
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$1,895,761.10</b>	<b>\$531,822.60</b>	<b>\$702,131.36</b>	<b>\$322,611.60</b>	<b>\$339,195.54</b>
LIABILITIES	FUND				
Current Liabilities	\$94,093.47	\$2,778.36	\$64,656.52	\$14,081.33	\$12,577.26
Long-Term Indebtedness	302,904.91	-0-	42,904.91	95,000.00	165,000.00
Surplus	1,498,762.72	529,044.24	\$594,569.93	213,530.27	161,618.28
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$1,895,761.10</b>	<b>\$531,822.60</b>	<b>\$702,131.36</b>	<b>\$322,611.60</b>	<b>\$339,195.54</b>

**OPERATIONS**

	FUND				
	TOTAL	GENERAL	ELECTRIC	WATER	SEWER
Operating revenue	\$314,184.60	\$74,166.25	\$161,425.62	\$54,708.15	\$23,884.58
Operating expenses excluding depreciation	213,606.47	65,966.10	100,095.99	34,374.67	13,169.71
Operating income before depreciation	\$100,578.13	\$8,200.15	\$61,329.63	\$20,333.48	\$10,714.84
Other income	2,152.98	-0-	117.70	1,560.00	475.28
Net income before Depreciation, Debt Service and other Contributions to Other City Funds	\$102,731.11	\$8,200.15	\$61,447.33	\$21,893.48	\$11,190.15
Depreciation	50,706.92	-0-	29,520.95	11,273.58	9,912.39
Debt Service	18,141.49	562.40	7,439.50	4,100.00	6,039.59
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$68,848.41</b>	<b>562.40</b>	<b>\$36,960.45</b>	<b>\$15,373.58</b>	<b>\$15,951.98</b>
Net Income (Loss)	\$33,882.70	7,637.75	\$24,486.88	\$6,519.90	(\$4,761.83)

The foregoing is taken from the Audit Reports of the City of Sonora, copies of which are on file with the City Secretary and reference is made thereto for a complete itemization of revenues and expenses.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jimmy H. Harris (s)  
City Manager  
January 8, 1968

**NOTICE**

Texas law prohibits close following of a fire truck, interfering with firemen fighting a fire or on their way to a fire, or parking within two city blocks of a fire.

Continued and increased violations of this law, even to the extent of blocking fire trucks from the fire, and driving over charged fire hoses, has caused great concern as to the danger brought about by the curious.

County and state law enforcement officers have been consulted and will be on hand at future fires to issue tickets to violators.

**Sonora Volunteer Fire Department**



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WITH...

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save  
UP TO

**20%**  
**30%**  
**40%**  
**50%**

NEVILLE'S 5th ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE Starts Thursday, January 9, Lasts Thru Saturday, January 11! Three Big Days of VALUES! ENTIRE STOCK of MERCHANDISE REDUCED 10% to 50%!

No Approvals - No Refunds  
All Sales Final!

### MEN'S SWEATERS

\$10.95 VALUES	\$6.99
\$12.95 VALUES	\$8.99
\$14.95 VALUES	\$9.99
\$16.95 VALUES	\$10.99

### 100 Percent Alpaca Arrow \$25.00 SWEATERS

Clearance Priced \$14.99

Famous E&W Grey, Tan, or Blue Chambray  
**Two-Pocket Shirts**  
Reg. \$3.99, Now Only  
**\$2.87 2 for \$5.50**

### MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Values to \$5.00  
Clearance 2 for \$5.00

### MEN'S SPORT SHORTS

Name-Brand — H.I.S., Norman, McGregor

\$5.00 SHIRTS	\$3.99
\$6.00 SHIRTS	\$4.49
\$7.00 SHIRTS	\$4.99
\$9.00 SHIRTS	\$5.99

SAVE 1/3

On Men's

### WINTER COATS & JACKETS

Fleece Lined — Quilted — Dress Styles

\$10.95 COATS	\$7.65
\$12.95 COATS	\$8.65
\$14.95 COATS	\$9.99
\$16.95 COATS	\$11.35
\$19.95 COATS	\$13.35
\$24.95 COATS	\$16.65

### BOYS' WINTER COATS and JACKETS

All styles that are now 2 years old  
**1/2 PRICE**

\$5.95 COATS	\$3.00
\$6.95 COATS	\$3.50
\$7.95 COATS	\$4.00
\$8.95 COATS	\$4.50
\$9.95 COATS	\$5.00

Sizes 2 to 20

Others Reduced 25%

### MEN'S & BOYS' LONG SLEEVE TURTLE NECK SHIRTS

Reg. to \$3.99

Cotton Knits	\$1.99
Reg. to \$6.99	
Banlon Knits	\$3.99

Med. and Large, Only

### HOPSACK LEVIS

Perma Press, \$8.00 Value, 26 to 38 Waist  
8 Colors to Choose From  
Clearance Price \$6.99

### MEN'S WRANGLER JEANS

Zipper Front, Lite Blue, Dark Blue, \$5 Value  
Sizes 27 to 42 \$3.99

Press-Free, Lite Blue, Dark Blue, Wheat  
**WRANGLERS \$4.99**  
**New Whiskey Color \$5.88**

Small Group Values to \$3.95  
**Men's Sport Shirts \$1.88**

Mr. Scott Sizes 30-42, Reg. \$10, Sale Priced  
**Perma-Press Pants \$7.99**

Men's All Wool  
**Pleated Pants 1/2 Price**

### BOYS' DONMOORE KNIT SHIRTS

Sizes 6 to 20

\$2.49 Values Now	\$1.97
\$2.99 Values Now	\$2.47
\$3.50 Values Now	\$2.87
\$3.95 Values Now	\$2.99

### BOYS' LONG SLEEVE SHIRTS

PRESS FREE

\$2.99 SHIRTS	\$1.97
\$3.50 SHIRTS	\$2.47
\$4.00 SHIRTS	\$2.88

### BOYS SWEATERS

Reduced 1/3

### BOYS' CORDUROY JEANS

Double Knee, Press Free, Sizes 2 to 16  
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Values Now \$2.99

### BOYS' PRESS-FREE JEANS

LEE — LEVIS — WRANGLERS  
Sizes 4 to 12 Reg. or Slim  
\$5.00 Values \$3.99  
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY ONLY

### BOYS' REGULAR 14 Oz. WRANGLERS

Regular or Slim Cut, Sizes 4 to 16  
Lite or Dark Blue  
**\$3.47**

### BOYS' LEE RIDERS

Sizes 4 to 12, Reg. or Slim Cut, 14 Oz.,  
Reg. \$3.99 Sizes 4 to 12 \$3.47  
Reg. \$4.50 Sizes 13 to 16 \$3.97

### BOYS' 10 Oz. WRANGLERS

Reg. \$2.49, Sizes 1 to 6X \$1.99

### MEN'S DRESS SOX

Gold Toe Irregulars, Reg. \$1.50, Asst Dark  
Colors  
**57¢ 3 pr. \$1.50**

### MEN'S WORK SOX

Solid White or Asst. Colors, Heavy Duty Cush-  
ion Soled, Sizes 10 to 15, Reg. 69¢  
**\$3 pr. \$1.45**

### BOYS' HANES

**T-SHIRTS 3 for \$2.25**  
**BRIEFS \$2.25**

### HAINES REG. \$1.25

**T-SHIRTS, BRIEFS, BOXERS**  
**3 for \$3.19**

### WORK KHAKIS & SHIRTS

Reduced 10%

Ladies' & Children's Values to \$5.00  
**HOUSE SHOES 99¢ pr.**

Dress and School Values to \$6.95  
**CHILDREN'S SHOES \$2.99**

Values to \$10.95  
**LADIES' DRESS SHOES \$2.99**

Ladies' and Girls'  
**FLATS \$2.99 & \$3.99**

Fashion Craft Reg. \$10.95 to \$14.95  
**SHOES Sale \$8.00**

### JARMAN SHOES REDUCED

LOAFERS and TIES

\$11.95 Values	\$8.99
\$12.95 Values	\$9.99
\$14.95 Values	\$11.99
\$16.95 and \$17.95 Values	\$12.99

### NUNN BUSH SHOES

\$19.95 and \$22.95 Values \$16.80  
Dan Post \$35.00 Values  
**COWBOY BOOTS \$27.80**

### Dan Post \$24.95 Values RANCH WELLINGTONS \$19.90

### ACME, TEXAS, and DURANGO BOOTS

\$24.95 BOOTS \$21.00  
\$27.95 BOOTS \$22.90

Boys' Ruff Out Broken Sizes  
**TEXAS BOOTS \$5.99**

### 10% OFF on

**ALL REGULAR STOCK SHOES**  
Ladies' Shoes, Men's Work Shoes and Boots,  
PF's and Ked Tennis Shoes

This is a Real Sale

**LEE RIDERS & LEVIS \$4.88**

These are advancing to \$5.99 on March 1

Wide and Narrow Wale, Assorted Colors  
Reg. \$1.29 Yd., Clearance

### 42" CORDUROY

**59¢ yd. 2 yds. \$1**

### DUCK PRINTS

Dark Deeptone, Reg. 99¢ and \$1.29 Yd.  
**67¢ yd. 2 yds. \$1**

BONDED WOOL and Reg. \$3.99 Yd. Value  
**ORLON KNITS yd. \$2.77**

**6.95 KNITS yd. \$4.88**

### RUG SALE

27x48 Reg. \$5.99 Value \$3.99  
24x36 Reg. 3.99 Value \$2.77

### 10% OFF

On All Other Bath Sets and Rugs

Values to \$1.49 Yard Now  
**New Spring Fabrics yd. 88¢**

Beautiful 3-Piece Sets, Solid or Fancy Colors  
Reg. \$19.95

**Luggage Sets \$14.80**

American Tourister — 5 Colors, All Size Cases  
**LUGGAGE 20% OFF**

### CHILDREN'S PLAY SUITS

Knit Tops, Pants, Sweaters Size Infants to 14  
Reduced 25%

Sizes 2 to 14  
**CHILDREN'S DRESSES 1/2 Price**

### LADIES COATS & SUITS

Reduced 25%	
\$16.95 Values Now	\$12.70
\$19.95 Values Now	\$14.90
\$24.95 Values Now	\$18.70
\$29.95 Values Now	\$22.45

Long Coats and Car Coats Sizes 8 to 42

Ladies Washable Were \$5.99  
**HOUSE COATS \$2.99**

Ladies' Fancy Styles in Nylon, Corduroy, and  
Cotton and Quilted Styles

**ROBES Save 1/3**

### LADIES DRESSES

Press-Free Cottons, Double Knits, Machine  
Washable Orlon Knits, Sizes 3 Petite to 24 1/2

\$12.95 Dresses Now	\$7.99
\$14.95 Dresses Now	\$9.99
\$16.95 Dresses Now	\$10.99
\$19.95 Dresses Now	\$12.99
\$24.95 Dresses Now	\$16.99

### OUT THEY GO!

**Bronco '66 Sweat Shirts .99¢**

One Group of Values to \$10.95  
**LADIES' BLOUSES \$4.88**

One Group of Values to \$9.95  
**LADIES PANTS \$5.88**

**Ladies' Skirts & Jackets**  
**1/2 PRICE**

LADIES'  
**Sweaters Reduced 25%**

Ladies' Stockton Reg. \$6.99  
**Stretch Denim Pants \$5.88**  
8 Colors, Sizes 8 to 20, Reg. and Tall

### LADIES BAGS

\$3.99 and \$4.99 Values Now \$2.88  
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**Gowns & Pajamas \$2.88**  
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### MEN'S & PREP SUITS

Size 34 to 46

\$55.00 Value	\$38.90
\$37.50 Value	\$29.80
\$59.50 to \$69.50 Values	\$39.80
\$80.00 to \$90.00 Values	\$66.90

Men's S-M-L  
**Flannel Shirts \$1.88**

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# NEVILLE'S

DEPARTMENT  
STORE  
Sonora



### Booster Club Basketball Players To Play Girls Team January 14

"Hey Skinny, the Red Heads are in town" to copy an old circus phrase is as true of the Red Heads as it is for the circus—for all of the backyard Hoopsters, the knot hole gangs and the junior highs will want to see the famous Red Heads when they meet players from the Bronco Booster Club in the high school gymnasium January 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Moore's All American Red Heads—world champion girls basketball team originated in 1936. The female athletes have performed in a number of larger cities and entertain sports fans with their skilled basketball wizardry, laugh provoking antics and acts.

Booster Club members are being coached by Jerry Phillips for the coming game. Playing in the game will be Jerry Hopkins, Dennis Hays, Bob McMinn, Gary Gardner, George Johnson, Mickey Powers, Jerry Don Balch, Dee Tyler, Jimmy Powers, Jim Menzies, Jack Adkins, Norm Roussetot, Jimmy Hugh Harris, Larry Bob Moore, Bill Savell, and Phillips.

Harris said tickets are now on sale at Sonora Feed, Stockmen's

Feed, Bob Teaff Oil Company, and Perez Barber Shop. Tommy Thorp and Harris also have tickets for sell. The Booster Club will receive half of the proceeds for all tickets sold before the game, Harris added.

### Three Tuesday Basketball Games Go To Ozona

Sonora's varsity basketball team at one time 30 points behind, came within one point of catching the Ozona Lions Tuesday night. The score ended 57-53 in favor of Ozona, with a free throw deciding the game. It was the third game of the season for the Broncos.

The "B" team fell to Ozona 66-32 in their first game of the season Tuesday. Mike Taylor was high point man for Sonora with 9, and Gregory Stewart led Ozona's scoring with 13.

In the third game of the season for Sonora's newly-formed girls' basketball team, Ozona dealt a 52-21 defeat. Ozona's leading scorer, Marsha Moore, had 13 points. Kay Kerbow led the Sonora team with a high of 7 points.

The varsity and "B" teams will meet Robert Lee there Thursday, January 9, with games starting at 5:15 and 6:30.



FRANK TAYLOR, 15, took this trophy on the C. W. Taylor ranch recently. The deer had 8 points, had a spread of 22 inches, and weighed 90 pounds field dressed.

### Humble Makes Final Payment To City

City Council members at a special meeting December 30, accepted final check from Humble Oil Company, for the \$85,000 tract of land purchased by the company and for signing of the deed by Mayor A. E. Prugel.

Also at the meeting council agreed to pay one-half of the cost for city employees hospitalization insurance with Blue Cross Blue Shield.

**Council Meets January 6**  
During the regularly scheduled meeting held Monday with Mayor A. E. Prugel, commissioners W. B. McMillan, and Mrs. T. K. Nevill, city manager Jimmy H. Harris and city secretary, Mrs. Jay Robbins, Harris reported that 115 intersections will have to be marked in order to have city mail delivery. Approval was given for the signs to be ordered and installation to begin as soon as possible.

City council voted to employ Joe Lane for after hours work for

the city as an engineer to lay out proposed sewer lines to property on IH10. Ernest Castro met briefly with the council to ask approval for use of a vacant lot for playground equipment for youth in the Latin American Baptist Church.

Other City Business  
The auditor's report was approved and adopted. Monies received from the sale of three strips of land to Texaco, Gulf and Humble have been placed on certificate of deposit with First National Bank, and the city has on deposit \$249,000, with potential interest from the deposits to be credited to the general fund.

### STATEMENT OF CONDITION First National Bank SONORA, TEXAS

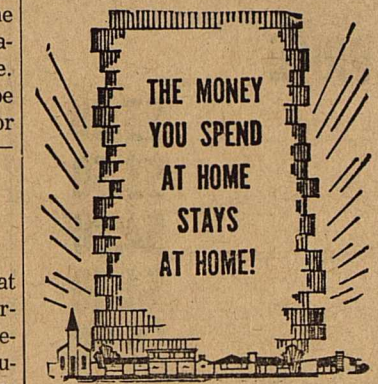
Close of Business December 31, 1968

ASSETS	
Loans & Discounts	\$3,455,900.84
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	15,000.00
U. S. Government Bonds	2,111,903.25
Other Stocks and Bonds	1,835,737.88
Federal Funds Sold	400,000.00
Leasehold Improvements	28,000.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks	1,069,176.02
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,915,717.99</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	249,793.46
Reserve for Contingencies	185,000.00
Other Reserves	40,210.81
Deposits	7,940,713.72
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$8,915,717.99</b>



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LONGHORN <b>CHEESE</b> ..... 69¢	WILSON'S <b>BOLOGNA</b> ..... 49¢

DEL MONTE <b>PEAS</b> ..... 25¢	DEL MONTE, Yellow Cream <b>CORN</b> ..... 25¢	STOKELY'S, Cut Green <b>ASPARAGUS</b> ..... 39¢	HUNTS, Spiced <b>PEACHES</b> ..... 35¢	DEL MONTE <b>NEW POTATOES</b> ..... 19¢	STOKELY'S <b>APPLE SAUCE</b> ..... 23¢
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CELLO <b>CARROTS</b> ..... 10¢	CHIQUITA <b>BANANAS</b> ..... 15¢	SLIDE RULES by Pickett. 902 Simplex Trig is the superior rule for basic scholastic requirements. All metal construction for highest accuracy and durability. 9 fundamental scales, case, lifetime guarantee, \$5.95 at the Devil's River News. tf48	SCOTCH STRAPPING TAPE—140 lb. pull strength. Like a ribbon of steel. For heavy banding, sealing, mending. Sticks instantly at a touch, super-strong, won't break like twine. Won't stretch. 1/2x360", 79 cents at the Devil's River News.
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YELLOW  
**ONIONS** ..... 8¢

NEW  
**POTATOES** ..... 10¢

GOLDEN  
**MARGARINE**  
Pound  
**19¢**

**SNOWDRIFT**  
3 Lb. Can  
**69¢**

VAN CAMPS <b>PORK &amp; BEANS</b> ..... 19¢	DEL MONTE, STEWED <b>TOMATOES</b> ..... 29¢	RANCH STYLES <b>BEANS</b> ..... 19¢	FRANCO AMERICAN <b>SPAGHETTI</b> ..... 15¢
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SPECIALS For Friday and Saturday, Jan. 10 and 11  
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Mineral water that will cure everything from sterility to poison ivy.

Garlic pills that relieve high blood pressure.

Olive oil that will help prevent appendicitis.

Health claims like these are the business of the Federal Trade Commission, established over 50 years ago as a monitor of business ethics. In thousands of cases, the FTC has cracked down on advertising that ventured too far away from the facts.

To be sure, the FTC itself must stay within the limits laid down

Just Arrived

Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Gonzales are the parents of a new son, Jose Louis, born December 31, 1968 at Hudspeth Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces. The parents have two other children; Jimmy, 4; and Frankie, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morales and Mrs. Anita Gonzales.

JOB ENVELOPES—Here's a specialized item with many uses. 9x10 inch 28 lb. brown kraft envelope is just right for filing letters and records. (The Devil's River News uses them to keep job printing records.) They are open end and thumb cut for easy access. Only 5 cents each or \$4 per 100 at the Devil's River News.

# Notice

## TO CITY TAXPAYERS

ALL CITY TAXES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON OCTOBER 1, AND IF NOT PAID BY THE LAST DAY OF JANUARY, WILL BECOME DELINQUENT!

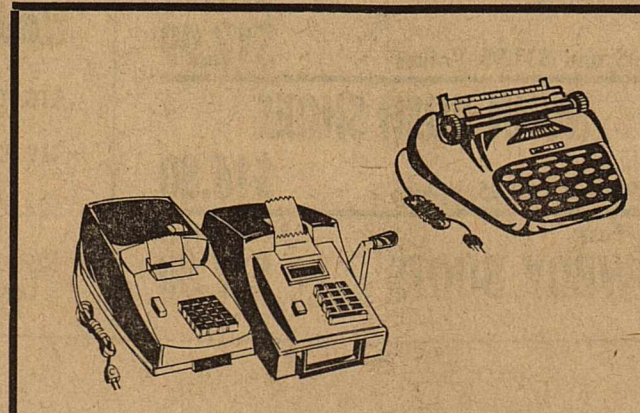
Delinquent taxes are subject to penalty and interest, and it is greatly to your interest to take care of taxes BEFORE the FEBRUARY 1 DEADLINE!

## DELINQUENT TAXES

We still have some delinquent taxes on our books and those owing such taxes are urged to come in and see about them.

According to law, delinquent taxes are a valid lien against any estate property and in case of a sale of property, must be satisfied. In other words, you could not give valid title to your place if there were any unpaid taxes against it.

CITY OF SONORA



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